CHAPTER 174

## **GOVERNMENT - STATE**

## SENATE BILL 18-202

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## AN ACT

Concerning the exemption of the Colorado firefighting air corps fund from the maximum reserve.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

**SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-33.5-1228, **add** (3)(d) as follows:

24-33.5-1228. Colorado firefighting air corps - creation - powers - aircraft acquisitions required - center of excellence - unmanned aircraft systems study and pilot program - Colorado firefighting air corps fund - creation - report - rules. (3) (d) The Colorado firefighting air corps fund is exempt from the limitations set forth in section 24-75-402.

**SECTION 2.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 24-75-402, **amend** (5)(aa) as follows:

- **24-75-402.** Cash funds limit on uncommitted reserves reduction in amount of fees exclusions repeal. (5) Notwithstanding any provision of this section to the contrary, the following cash funds are excluded from the limitations specified in this section:
- (aa) The emergency fire fund created in section 24-33.5-1220 (2), the wildland fire equipment repair cash fund created in section 24-33.5-1220 (3), the wildland fire cost recovery fund created in section 24-33.5-1220 (4), the wildfire emergency response fund created in section 24-33.5-1226 (1), and the wildfire preparedness fund created in section 24-33.5-1227 (1), AND THE COLORADO FIREFIGHTING AIR CORPS FUND CREATED IN SECTION 24-33.5-1228 (3);

Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

**SECTION 3. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

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